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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Scott A. Johansen et al.

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REMOVAL OF HEAT AND WATER VAPOR FROM COMMERCIAL

DISHWASHING MACHINES

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed August 6, 1998, said period of response being extended from October 6, 1998 to December 6, 1998.

Our check in the amount of \$380.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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